

National Council To Combat Blindness, Inc.
THE FIGHT FOR SIGHT

Excerpt from Financial Statement
April 1, 1960 - March 31, 1961
(from the complete audit of Apfel & Englander,
Certified Public Accountants)

SUMMARY OF BALANCE SHEET
March 31, 1961

ASSETS

* Cash on Hand and in Banks	\$434,959
* Investments at Cost--(Market Value \$125,097)	107,684
Advances to Auxiliaries	6,797
Other Assets	<u>1,209</u>

TOTAL ASSETS

\$550,649

LIABILITIES AND NET WORTH

Liabilities:

Grants Payable	24,873
Other Liabilities and Deferred Credits	<u>10,672</u>

TOTAL LIABILITIES

35,545

Net Worth:

Special Fund	2,500
* Appropriated Funds, for research, fellow- ships, clinical service, etc.	344,639
Reserve Fund	145,000
Operating Fund	<u>22,965</u>

TOTAL NET WORTH

515,104

TOTAL LIABILITIES AND CAPITAL

\$550,649

- * Included in Cash in Bank and Investments is the \$344,639 appropriated for research grants, fellowships and clinical service projects of which the major portion will be expended during the year ending March 31, 1962.

SUMMARIZED STATEMENT OF INCOME, EXPENDITURES AND NET WORTH
Year Ended March 31, 1961

	TOTAL	OPERATING FUND	RESEARCH, SPECIAL AND RESERVE FUNDS
Balance, Net Worth, April 1, 1960	\$ 467,297	\$ 32,874	\$ 434,423
Income:			
Contributions, including membership and special events	326,587	326,587	
"Lights On" Benefit			
--Net Proceeds (see Note #1)	26,191	26,191	
Interest and Dividends	13,556	13,556	
Other	8,463		8,463
Total Income	<u>374,797</u>	<u>366,334</u>	<u>8,463</u>
	842,094	399,208	442,886
Expenditures:			
Program:			
Public Information & Education	22,492	22,492	
Research Supplemental	15,468	15,468	
Case Service	5,448	5,448	
Research, Grants-in-Aid, Fellowships and Clinical Service			
Projects	230,747	-	230,747
Expenses:			
Administration	26,541	26,541	
Fund Raising	<u>26,294</u>	<u>26,294</u>	
Total Expenditures	<u>326,990</u>	<u>96,243</u>	<u>230,747</u>
Balance Before Allocation			
Appropriations (Note #2)	515,104	302,965	212,139
Net Worth, March 31, 1961	<u>515,104</u>	<u>(280,000)</u>	<u>280,000</u>
		22,965	492,139

Note 1 -- "Lights On" receipts - \$34,557, less disbursements - \$8,366, Net Proceeds - \$26,191

Note 2 -- The Board of Directors has appropriated \$260,000 for research, grants-in-aid, fellowships and clinical service projects for use in the year ending March 31, 1962 and thereafter. The Scientific Advisory Committee will select the projects to be financed. The Board of Directors also appropriated \$20,000 to be added to the Reserve Fund.

NOTES TO RECONCILIATION OF NET WORTH

NOTE 1: Each year, the balance of unappropriated funds is determined, and the Board of Directors allocates a portion to appropriated funds, to be used for research and service projects, and to increase the Reserve Fund. The Scientific Advisory Committee then determines the specific research grants, fellowships and clinical service projects to be financed, and expends the appropriated funds during the next year.

In the year ended March 31, 1961, there was expended \$230,746.25 for projects authorized at March 31, 1960, and this amount is shown as an expenditure of appropriated funds.

At March 31, 1961, there was a balance of \$302,965.33 in unappropriated funds; a balance of \$84,638.87 in funds appropriated for research and service projects, and a balance of \$125,000 in reserve and restricted funds. The Board of Directors, as of March 31, 1961, authorized the transfer of \$280,000 out of unappropriated funds; into research and service project fund, \$260,000 and into reserve fund, \$20,000. The Scientific Advisory Committee will make definite commitments before June 30, 1961, for projects to be financed during the year ending March 31, 1962, and thereafter, from the appropriated funds.

NOTE 2: The unappropriated funds may be set up, for simplification, as follows:

Total Income for year	\$366,333.81
Expenditures:	
For Administrative and Fund-Raising Expenses	<u>52,835.92</u>
Balance available for program	\$313,497.89
Program:	
For current projects--research supplemental, public information and education, and case service	43,407.30
Appropriated for 1961-62 research projects-- grants in aid and fellowship fund, and clinical service project fund	<u>260,000.00</u>
Total expenditure and appropriations for program	<u>303,407.30</u>
Balance of year's income, unappropriated	10,090.59
Balance of unappropriated income at March 31, 1960	<u>32,874.74</u>
Total	42,965.33
Transferred to Reserve Fund	<u>20,000.00</u>
Balance, unappropriated income at March 31, 1961	<u>\$ 22,965.33</u>

FIGHT FOR SIGHT AWARDS
of the
NATIONAL COUNCIL TO COMBAT BLINDNESS, INC.

41 West 57th Street

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Grants-in-Aid

Special Awards

Postdoctoral Research Fellowships

Student Fellowships

Approved as of June 1961

GRANTS IN AID

<u>INVESTIGATOR & INSTITUTION</u>	<u>PROJECT TITLE</u>	<u>AMOUNT</u>
Auerbach, Edgar, M.D. Hadassah University Hospital and Medical School Jerusalem, Israel	1. Amblyopia and its Central Connections. 2. Cerebral Summation of Impulses at the Cortex via Decussated and non-Decussated Visual Pathway. 3. Inhibition of Cortical Responses Following Photic Stimulation. 4. Normal Electric Response of the Human Retina Reconsidered. Electoretinography with Normal Subjects and Connected to Pathological Entities such as Hemeralopia and Oguchi's Disease.	\$10,400.
Cardona, Hernando, M.D. Columbia University New York	Development of a Practical Keratoprosthesis.	4,370.
Christensen, Robert E., M.D. University of California Los Angeles	The effects of Topically Administered Homatropine Hydrobromide upon Aqueous Flow Intraocular Pressure, and Scleral Rigidity In Normal Eye and Chronic Simple Glaucomatous Eyes	5,611.
Cogan, David G., M.D. Harvard University Medical School Boston	A Study of Retinitis Pigmentosa in Dogs.	5,750.
Fankhauser, Franz, M.D. Universitäts-Augenklinik Bern, Switzerland	The Construction of an Apparatus for Testing the Directional Light Sensitivity of the Type Stiles Crawford.	5,500.
Freyer, William C., M.D. University of Pennsylvania Philadelphia	An Experimental Study on the Proliferative Properties of Retinal Pigment Epithelium.	2,250.
Galin, Miles A., M.D. Cornell University New York	Studies on Aqueous Physiology Using the Perilimbal Section Cup.	4,500.
Hargens, C.W. The Franklin Institute Philadelphia, Penna.	Development, Exploration and Application of a Glaucoma Detector Based on Induced Vibrations of the Eyeball.	1,000.

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GRANTS IN AID (Cont'd)

<u>INVESTIGATOR & INSTITUTION</u>	<u>PROJECT TITLE</u>	<u>AMOUNT</u>
Hogan, Michael J., M.D. University of California San Francisco	Special Histopathologic Study of Endogenous Uveitis.	\$4,500.
Jacobson, Jerry Hart, M.D. New York Eye & Ear Infirmary New York	Behavioral Studies of Higher Level Vision in Monkeys.	4,500.
Kimura, Samuel J., M.D. University of California San Francisco	Effect of Corticosteroid Hormones on Herpes Simplex Keratitis.	4,500.
Kirkegaard, Rodger S., M.D. State University of Iowa Iowa City	Evoked Retinal and CNS Responses in the Cat During Vitamin A Deficiency and Normal State.	5,000.
Kirsch, Ralph E., M.D. University of Miami Florida	A Study on the Passage of Water from the Vitreous Body into the Aqueous Humor.	1,000.
Kornblueth, Walter, M.D. & Wertheimer Ernst, M.D. Hadassah University Hospital Jerusalem, Israel	Metabolism of Orbital Fat.	5,040.
Kornzweig, Abraham L., M.D. Hospital & Home for Aged & Infirm Hebrews of New York City New York	The Eye in Old Age - A Clinical and Pathological Study; Study of Macular Circulation of the Retina.	3,000.
Kupfer, Carl, M.D. Massachusetts Eye & Ear Infirmary Boston	Representation of the Human Retina on the Lateral Geniculate Body.	4,500.
Langham, Maurice E., Ph.D. The Johns Hopkins Hospital Baltimore, Md.	The Dependence of Corneal Detur- gescence and Transparency on a Metabolic Interrelationship between the Stroma and Epithelial Cells.	5,500.
Langman, Jan, M.D. McGill University Montreal, Canada	Localisation of Lens Antigens in Iris, Retina and Cornea by Fluorescence Microscopy.	3,000.

GRANTS IN AID (Cont'd)

<u>INVESTIGATOR & INSTITUTION</u>	<u>PROJECT TITLE</u>	<u>AMOUNT</u>
Lipetz, Leo E., Ph.D. Ohio State University Columbus	Electrical Impedance Changes of the Human Eye in Response to Light.	\$2,500.
Luck, Cecil P., M.D. University of East Africa Kampala, Uganda	Comparative Mammalian Ophthalmology with Special Reference to Microanatomy and Lens Regeneration in Galago.	3,280.
Maisel, Harry, M.D. Wayne State University Detroit, Mich.	A Study of the Antigens of the Chick Iris by Immunochemical Methods and Fluorescence Microscopy.	5,000.
Mathieu, Michel, M.D. Maisonneuve Hospital Montreal, Canada	Studies on the Histology of the Retina and Optic Pathways.	3,120.
Michaelson, I.C., M.D. Hadassah University Hospital Jerusalem, Israel	Clinical Research in Trachoma.	4,000.
Mitsui, Yukihiko, M.D. Tokushima University Tokushima, Japan	Study on the Nature of Trachoma Agent Cultivated in Chick-Embryo.	1,800.
Moses, Robert A., M.D. Washington University St. Louis, Mo.	Investigation of Zonulolysis with Alpha Chymotrypsin.	5,000.
Muller, Paul, M.D. Harlem Eye & Ear Hospital New York	Comparison in Improvement in Outflow Facility Following Various Filtering Procedures in Colored Glaucoma Patients; and Correlation with Conservation of Visual Fields.	1,500.
Noell, Werner K., M.D. University of Buffalo New York	Effects of Catalin and Related Com- pounds on the Progress of Hereditary Visual Degeneration in Rats.	4,991.
Park, Hong Kyun, M.D. Tuberculosis Center of Chonnam, Inc. Chonnam, Korea	Epidemiological and Pathogenetic Studies on the Role of Toxoplasma Infections in Uveitis Found in Korean Patients.	5,000.
Potts, Albert M. M.D. The University of Chicago Illinois	The Use of Radioactively Labeled Phenothiazines in the Diagnosis and Treatment of Ocular Melanomas.	8,000.

GRANTS IN AID (Cont'd)

<u>INVESTIGATOR & INSTITUTION</u>	<u>PROJECT TITLE</u>	<u>AMOUNT</u>
Priestley, Bruno S., M.D. New York Eye & Ear Infirmary New York	1) Comparative Studies of the Methods of Bangerter and Cuppers. 2) Construction of a New Pleoptic Instrument.	\$2,000.
Shipley, Thorne, Ph.D. University of Miami Florida	Pleoptics and Experimental Orthoptics.	7,000.
Straatsma, Bradley, R., M.D. & Allen, Raymond A., M.D. University of California Los Angeles	A Study of the Human Iris in Normal and Glaucomatous Eyes Employing Light and Electron Microscopy.	5,500.
Tsutsui, Jun, M.D. Okayama Rosai Hospital Okayama-shi, Japan	Immunochemical Studies of Corneal Protein in Homo- and Hetero-Corneal Graft.	2,000.
Wolken, Jerome, J., Ph.D. University of Pittsburgh Pennsylvania	Photoreceptor Structures. (A Phy- logenetic Study of the Development and Structure of the Retinal Cells.)	3,000.

SPECIAL AWARDS

<u>INVESTIGATOR & INSTITUTION</u>	<u>PROJECT TITLE</u>	<u>AMOUNT</u>
Dhanda, R. P., M.D. Mahatma Gandhi Medical College Indore, Madhya Pradesh, India	Pioneering Corneal Transplantation Surgery and Development of Eye Bank for the Alleviation of Corneal Blindness.	\$4,000.
Jacobson, Jerry Hart, M.D. International Society for Clinical Electroretinography New York	Publication of Newsletter.	1,200.
Knapp, Philip, M.D. Columbia-Presbyterian Medical Center New York	Fight for Sight Children's Eye Clinic; established 1960 by the National Council to Combat Blindness, Inc. (\$1,750 for additional equipment and \$17,000 for second year of mainte- nance)	18,750.

<u>INVESTIGATOR & INSTITUTION</u>	<u>PROJECT TITLE</u>	<u>AMOUNT</u>
Michaelson, I.C., M.D. Hadassah University Hospital Jerusalem, Israel	Trachoma Mobile Unit	\$1,100.

POST-DOCTORAL RESEARCH FELLOWSHIPS

<u>FELLOW & INSTITUTION</u>	<u>DIRECT SUPERVISOR</u>	<u>PROJECT TITLE</u>	<u>AMOUNT</u>
Cotlier, Edward, M.D. Washington University St. Louis, Mo.	Bernard Becker, M.D.	Hormone Effect on Lens Epithelium.	\$5,000.
Eakins, Kenneth E., Ph.D. The Johns Hopkins Hospital Baltimore, Md.	Maurice E. Langham, Ph.D.	The Effect and Mode of Action of Sympathomimetic Amines on Intra- ocular Pressure and Dynamics.	6,000.
Haig, Charles, Ph.D. Oxford University Oxford, England	M.H. Pirenne, Ph.D.	An Investigation of Visual Mech- anisms, with a view to Developing a Theory of Visual Acuity Based upon the Quantum Nature of Light.	7,500.
Hedbys, Bengt O., M.D. Retina Foundation Boston, Mass.	Claes-Henrik Dohlman, M.D.	Studies on the Water Uptake by Corneal Stroma	7,000.
Ishikawa, Toyoko M. Columbia University New York	George K. Smelser, Ph.D.	Electron Micros- copy of Ocular Tissues.	6,000.
Kikkawa, Yoshizo, M.D. The Johns Hopkins Hospital Baltimore, Md.	Maurice E. Langham, Ph.D.	Resolving Power of the Eye as In- fluenced by the Fibrous Components of the Cornea and the Crystalline Lens. (Or Effects of Ouabain, Stro- phanthin, etc. on the Dehydration Mechanism of the Cornea.)	7,500.

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<u>FELLOW & INSTITUTION</u>	<u>DIRECT SUPERVISOR</u>	<u>PROJECT TITLE</u>	<u>AMOUNT</u>
Kurimoto, Shinji, M.D. The University of Chicago Illinois	Frank W. Newell, M.D.	The Histochemistry of the Retina.	\$5,000.
Lenicque, Pierre Marie, Ph.D. McGill University Montreal, Canada	Jan Langman, M.D.	Localisation of Lens Antigens by Means of Fluo- rescence Micros- copy During Normal and Abnormal Eye Development.	5,000.
Matton-Van Leuven, Maria Th., M.D. Duke University Durham, N.C.	Frederick W. Stocker, M.D. Nicholas G. Georgiade, M.D.	A Study of the Somatic Chromosomes in cases of: 1. Congenital De- formities of the Eye and its Adnexa. 2. Ocular Degenerative Diseases, Possibility Hereditary.	1,600.
Mordhorst, Carl H., M.D. University of California San Francisco	Phillips Thygeson, M.D.	Ocular Virology in California and Denmark.	6,000.
Nano, Hugo D., M.D. Cornell University New York	John M. McLean, M.D.	Studies of Ocular Heavy Metal Con- centrations.	7,500.
Rees, Searle B., M.D. Harvard University Medical School Boston, Mass.	Alexander Marble, M.D.	Pathogenesis of Microangiopathy in Diabetes.	6,500.

STUDENT FELLOWSHIPS

<u>FELLOW & INSTITUTION</u>	<u>DIRECT SUPERVISOR</u>	<u>PROJECT TITLE</u>	<u>AMOUNT</u>
Beighle, Mr. Richard W. University of Oregon Portland	Robert P. Burns, M.D.	Modification of the Carrageenan Granuloma of the Guinea Pig Cornea.	900.

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<u>FELLOW & INSTITUTION</u>	<u>DIRECT SUPERVISOR</u>	<u>PROJECT TITLE</u>	<u>AMOUNT</u>
Bocci, Mr. Jerrold C. University of California San Francisco	Michael J. Hogan, M.D.	Experimentally Produced Retinal Lesions in the Cynomolgus Mon- key and their Effect on the ERG (Electroretino- gram).	\$ 750.
Creech, Mr. Philip H. Tulane University New Orleans, La.	Monte G. Holland, M.D.	In Vitro Membrane Parameters (Po- tential Resistance, Current and Work) of the Cat Iris- Ciliary Body Pre- paration as a Function of Temperature.	900.
Dietert, Mr. Scott Edward Washington University St. Louis, Mo.	Marguerite A. Constant, Ph.D.	The Light Micros- copy of Experi- mental Cataracts in Evolution.	600.
Heilbrun, Mr. Mark Peter University of Buffalo New York	Werner K. Noell, M.D.	Pharmacology of Retinal Excita- tion using an In Vitro Preparation of the Rabbit Retina.	600.
Hoskins, Mr. Horace Dunbar, Jr. Medical College of Virginia Richmond	Walter J. Geeraets, M.D.	The Histology of the Orbital Region of the Anophthalmia Animals.	600.
James, Mr. William A., Jr. Columbia University New York	Frank Polack, M.D. & Hernando Cardona, M.D.	Surgery and Re- lated Problems of Corneal Trans- plant Surgery.	900.
Klass, Mr. Alvin Manly University of Oregon Portland	Robert P. Burns, M.D.	Effect of Hypo- thermia on Intra- ocular Malignant Melanoma in the Syrian Golden Hamster.	850.
Leibowitz, Mr. Howard The Johns Hopkins Hospital Baltimore, Md.	A. Edward Maumenee, M.D.	Studies in Ocular Hypersensitivity.	900.

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McIvor, Mr. John William Cornell University New York	Miles A. Galin, M.D.	The Use of the Perilimbal Suction Cup in Ophthalmology.	\$ 600.
Mallerich, Mr. Dallas J. Jr. Tulane University New Orleans, La.	Monte G. Holland, M.D.	Sodium Ion Flux in the In Vitro Iris-Ciliary Body Membrane Preparation.	900.
Parks, James J., Ph.D. The Johns Hopkins Hospital Baltimore, Md.	A. Edward Maumenee, M.D.	Studies in Ocular Hypersensitivity.	600.
Pratt, Mr. Jordan C. University of Maryland School of Medicine Baltimore	Richard D. Richards, M.D.	Incidence of Open-Angle Glaucoma in Patients with Diabetes Mellitus.	600.
Rawls, Mr. James Alton, Jr. University of Florida Gainesville	Thomas H. Maren, M.D.	Electrolyte Studies of Various Physiological Secretions in States of Imbalance resulting from Carbonic Anhydrase Inhibition.	900.
Robbins, Mr. Richard M. Cornell University New York	Miles A. Galin, M.D.	Studies of Episcleral Venous Pressure.	600.
Rosenthal, Mr. A. Ralph The Johns Hopkins Hospital Baltimore, Md.	Maurice E. Langham, Ph.D.	Effects of Complete Destruction of the Sympathetic Nervous System on Eye Physiology.	500.
Roth, Mr. Alan M. State University of New York Syracuse	James L. McGraw, M.D.	The Effect of Anticoagulants on Thrombosed Retina Veins.	600.
Schottstaedt, Mr. Edwin S. University of California San Francisco	Ernest K. Goodner, M.D.	A Comparative Study of Protein in Normal Rabbit Primary and Secondary Aqueous Humor by Microagarelectrophoresis.	600.

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<u>FELLOW & INSTITUTION</u>	<u>DIRECT SUPERVISOR</u>	<u>PROJECT TITLE</u>	<u>AMOUNT</u>
Schwartz, Mr. Carl J. Seton Hall College of Medicine & Dentistry Jersey City, N. J.	Christian A. Hovde, Ph.D.	The Reaction of Single Units of the Optic Nerve to Light of Known Wave Length and Intensity.	600.
Surian, Mr. Michael A. Northwestern University Chicago, Ill.	David Shoch, M.D.	Enzymology of the Refractory Media: Investigation of Peptidases in the Rabbit Lens.	600.
Takahashi, Mr. Gordon H. University of California San Francisco	William F. Hoyt, M.D.	Can Axon Degenera- tion Be Demonstrated by Means of the Nauta Silver Impregnation Stain?	600.
Wachtel, Mr. Daniel L. New York University Bellevue Medical Center New York	Ralph Z. Levene, M.D.	Studies in Experi- mental Glaucoma.	500.
Ward, Mr. Howard N. Northwestern University Chicago, Ill.	David Shoch, M.D.	Experimental Exo- phthalmos Measure- ment of the Globes of Guinea Pigs Before and after the Admin- istration of I^{131} to Ablate the Thyroid.	600.
Watanabe, Miss Saeko Okayama Rosai Hospital Okayama-shi, Japan	Jun Tsutsui, M.D.	Immunoelectro- phoretic Study on Corneal Proteins in Different kinds of Animal Species.	250.
Weeks, Mr. David A. University of Oregon Portland	Kenneth Swan, M.D.	Changes Induced in the Coats of the Eye by External Application of High Frequency Alter- nating Current.	900.
Weinstein, Mr. James D. University of Pennsylvania Philadelphia	Thomas R. Hedges, Jr. M.D.	Pathogenesis of Padilledema.	1,300.

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T H E F I G H T F O R S I G H T

FIGHT FOR SIGHT CITATION

In addition to the organization's support of grants-in-aid, postdoctoral fellowships, student fellowships and clinical service projects, the board of directors of the National Council To Combat Blindness, Inc., under the direction of its Scientific Advisory Committee, determined to honor annually, through FIGHT FOR SIGHT Citations, investigators who have made an outstanding contribution to the field of sight, either basic or clinical. These Citations are conferred in cooperation with the Association for Research In Ophthalmology, Inc. in an effort to encourage and stimulate researchers in this field of scientific investigation.

During the 1960-1961 period the first two FIGHT FOR SIGHT Citations, each in the amount of \$500., were awarded for the papers judged to be the most significant submitted to the sectional meetings of the Association for Research In Ophthalmology, and the one judged to be the most significant submitted to the June and Mid-winter national meetings of the Association. These awards were presented for the following papers:

"The Rhodopsin Cycle In The Developing Vertebrate Retina" by Doctor Sjoerd L. Bonting, Doctor Peter Gouras and Mr. Leo L. Caravaggio, National Institutes of Neurological Diseases and Blindness, Bethesda, Maryland, June, 1961.

"The Distribution of 5,5-Dimethyl 1-2,4-Oxazolidinedione(DMO) In Ocular And Cerebrospinal Fluids" by Doctor Marguerite A. Constant, Department of Ophthalmology, Washington University, School of Medicine, St. Louis, Missouri, December, 1961.

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